

HIGHLAND RECORDER.

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 NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET.
 (Election: Tuesday, Nov. 8, 1904)
 For President:
 ALTON B. FARKER, of New York.
 For Vice President:
 HENRY G. DAVIS, of West Va.
 For Congress, 10th Congressional Dis-
 trict of Virginia:
 HAL D. FLOOD, of Appomattox Co.

It is now declared that the great
 cabbage bugaboo is a "fake" in-
 stead of a "snake." You may eat
 it either raw, boiled or in slaw with
 no fear of snakes.

The Highland Recorder, publish-
 ed at Monterey, devotes half a col-
 umn of editorial space to anathema-
 tizing "a little stump in the pub-
 lic road north of town that has
 provoked more wrath than any-
 thing of its size in the county." Why
 don't you dig it up and quit
 cussin' it?—News-Leader.

If the News-Leader read our lit-
 tle "ode" carefully it will readily
 understand why we ignore its ad-
 vice. "Dig it up" indeed! That
 city editor may think he has run
 against "snags" and occasionally
 been "stumped," but he don't know
 anything!

Letter From Illinois

October 20th, 1904.
 Editor Recorder:

Not having written you for
 sometime, I will try and give you
 something more that will be of in-
 terest to your many readers. Since
 my last, I have taken in quite a
 bit of the western world and had
 many pleasant visits among the
 children of Virginia, and have
 gripped the hand of many warm
 friends. After visiting at Lexing-
 ton, my nephew, Robert Rumsel,
 son of John I. Rumsel who resid-
 ed near Doe Hill in your county
 and now dead, and his wife, a
 daughter of Mr. Martin Malcom,
 near McDowell, Van and George
 Armstrong, and the late widow
 of Mr. Arbogast who is in declining
 health, I took the train on Sunday
 for Normal which place I reached
 in time to partake a sumptuous re-
 past with H. L. Malcom. After a
 pleasant stay of two weeks at that
 place, I took the Illinois Central at
 Bloomington, for Colfax a large
 mining town, the coal being taken
 out of the earth at a depth of four
 hundred feet and the coal taken
 out for nearly a mile around the
 shaft—the whole town and many
 farms are undermined. The vein
 of coal is about nine feet. I came
 to Mr. Price Siron's place just in
 time for a square meal at noon on
 the same day. He is a son of Gil-
 bert Siron of McDowell, and married
 a daughter of Edward Propst,
 all of them readers of your paper.
 They are comfortably situated.
 Lottie, the daughter of Mr. Siron,
 is going to high school, is in the
 seventh grade, and is taking music.
 The people of this town are quite
 entertaining to strangers, especial-
 ly Virginians, and there are many
 of the sons of Highland here.
 Among them, Mr. John and Arthur
 Wilson, sons of Kie Wilson, and
 the widow and mother of John.
 Arthur, Mary, now the wife of
 Thomas Blagg, recently married
 and a son of Squire Blagg, near
 Doe Hill. He is a farmer and is
 about finishing the plowing of 90
 acres for corn next year.

I had quite a pleasant visit to
 Arthur Wilson's. He has 120
 acres of corn to shuck, and has a
 fine lot of horses. John Wilson
 and family had gone to the fair
 and did not get to visit him, though
 he is well fixed and has 50 head of
 cattle, 100 hogs, the finest lot I
 ever saw.

John Vance lives 3 miles north
 of town and is married. He is
 getting along fine, had 100 acres
 of corn, yield 5000 bushels.

People are shucking corn, and
 you can hear the golden ears strik-
 ing the high side boards all over
 the country, and wagons are rattling
 at 3 o'clock in the morning all
 over the country. A good shucker
 can shuck 1200 bushels of shelled
 corn in a day.

I met with Edgar Wilson at Ar-
 thur's. He is farming and keep-
 ing bachelor's hall.

My visit at this place is near to
 a close and I will return to Normal
 to-morrow.

W. E. W.

Disastrous Wrecks

Carelessness is responsible for many
 a railway wreck and the same causes
 are making human wrecks of sufferers from
 Throat and Lung troubles. But since
 the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery
 for Consumption, Coughs and Colds,
 even the worst cases can be cured, and
 hopeless resignation is no longer neces-
 sary. Mrs. Lois Cragg of Dorchester,
 Mass., is one of many whose life was
 saved by Dr. King's New Discovery.
 This great remedy is guaranteed for all
 throat and lung diseases by K. H. Trimble
 druggist. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bot-
 tles free.

Will you buy carpets this fall?
 If so go to Shreckhise & Bear.

From Blue Grass Valley

Nov. 1st, 1904.

We had a considerable blizzard
 last week and everybody tried to
 freeze to death in the sunshine, be-
 cause they had no wood for the grate.
 It blew off again and we are now
 having delightful fall weather with
 the exception of the long drought,
 which has cut the fall pasture short
 and added greatly to the length of
 the feeding season.

Our enterprising farmer, Walter
 Newman has gone into the mer-
 cantile business, and really offers
 to the public a beautiful and cheap
 line of goods and groceries which
 he has marked down to "bottom
 prices." We wish him well and
 hope he will have the patronage
 and good will of all our people.

Col. H. E. Colaw and mother
 spent several days last week visit-
 ing friends and relatives on Strait
 Creek and around Monterey.

Prof. Kerr who taught the High-
 town school last winter has com-
 menced his school in this place.
 His wife we understand is teaching
 the New Hampton school. They
 have our best wishes and warmest
 welcome.

Mr. Wm. Hevener and wife have
 moved back to the home mansion
 where he accidentally cut his foot
 last week while splitting wood.

Vote for "Wise" in the contest
 and get your "bonnets" made free.
 We left out a few items in our
 last letter which would have said,
 that H. B. Nicholas was at home
 from the West. That Misses
 Nannie and Bessie Sterret and Mr.
 Phil Sterret were the welcome
 guests of "Bro. Wise," and that Mr.
 and Mrs. Stites of Kansas were
 with friends a few days last week.

We enjoyed very much, reading
 Bro. H. A. Murrill's letter in the
 Methodist last week on the Itiner-
 ant Preachers, and must really say
 for lofty sentiment and graceful
 periods and weighty questions, it
 will stand the test of the critics,
 and add new lustre to his graceful
 pen. The "parson" has proven to
 be the best converser in the bounds
 of the whole Baltimore Conference
 and stands at the head of the list
 with 140 subscribers to our church
 paper. He and his charming wife
 and children are now taking their
 well earned vacation with relatives
 and friends in Greenbrier county.
 Possibly the parson will visit the
 Exposition before returning.

It is said that Mr. Arbogast ship-
 ped to Richmond last week the
 finest car load of lambs that ever
 left the Bottom, and received the
 highest price ever paid a Highland-
 er in the memory of man. It must
 have made "Billy" feel good when
 the buyers passed through the
 sheep pens and looked happy.

The Newman, Simmons and Pot-
 ter lambs all averaged over 100
 pounds and some weighed from 130
 to 140 pounds. If you don't be-
 lieve there is good money in sheep,
 I will give you an illustration. Mr.
 Jasper Simmons has 12 ewes. He
 sheared \$20.00 worth of wool from
 them this year and an average of
 more than \$1.50 per head hereto-
 fore, raised 23 lambs and lost 3
 more this year. They brought him
 about \$5 per head as they weighed
 over 100 pounds each, or \$115 in
 all. A clear profit of \$112 after
 deducting about \$2 per head for
 keeping them. He has averaged
 over \$100 clear profit each year off
 of them ewes, which are now 6 and
 7 years old—a grand total of \$600
 or 700.

Mr. I. Q. Simmons and wife are
 back from their recent trip to Bal-
 timore where Bro. Simmons bought
 the largest and nicest stock of
 goods ever brought to this place.

As soon as the edition to his
 store room is completed and "Wise"
 gets his sewing machine, he will
 have the dress making and millin-
 ery department in full blast.

We expected to speak of our
 roads and a few foot-logs that were
 to be put up last winter, but have
 never been, still our letter is long
 enough this time but we promise
 you, "your money's worth" in the
 near future.

Doesn't Respect Old Age

It's shameful when youth fails to show
 proper respect for old age, but just the
 contrary in the case of Dr. King's New
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 matter how severe and irrespective of
 old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever,
 Constipation all yield to this perfect Pill.
 25c at K. H. Trimble's drug store.

VIRGINIA:

In vacation—In the Clerk's office
 of the Circuit Court of Highland
 County, October 20th 1904.

Juo A. Whitelaw Plaintiff

Against
 Wm. McFarland and John Mc-
 Farland partners trading as W. E.
 Norris & Co. Defendants.

Action of assumpsit and upon

attachment.

The object of this suit is to re-
 cover against the said defendants
 non-residents of this state; it is or-
 dered that they appear here within
 fifteen days after due publication
 hereof and do what is necessary to
 protect their interest.

Teste:

J. C. Matheny, Clk.
 E. H. McClintic, p. q.

We want you to see our swell

line of dress goods and silks.

Shreckhise & Bear.

Public Sale of Personal Prop-erty.

At my residence 8 miles south of

Monterey and 13 miles south of
 Meadow Dale, I will, on Wednesday,
 Nov. 10, 1904, offer for sale at pub-
 lic auction my personal property,
 consisting of 3 horses, 6 cows, 4
 calves, 8 yearling cattle, 2 hereford
 bulls, one year old, 16 hogs, 25 to
 60 ewes, 1 two horse wagon, some
 hay, 1 set of double harness, 1 set
 of single harness, one 35 Winchester
 rifle, 1 double barrel breech
 loading shot gun, some household
 and kitchen furniture, one good
 falling top buggy, one Champion
 mower.

TERMS:—All sums of five dollars
 and under cash, over that amount
 a credit of six months will be given,
 purchaser to execute bonds
 with good approved security.

D. O. WOODS.

Millinery Store.

The millinery store at Doe Hill
 Va will open Oct 1st with a full
 line of fall and winter goods. Miss
 Milburne of Baltimore will again
 be in charge.

0-23-0t Mrs J M Jones.

Notice to Tax-Payers

I will meet the tax-payers of
 Highland county, at the times and
 places herein stated, prepared to
 receive all State Taxes, County
 School and Road levies for the
 year 1904.

At New Hampden	Oct. 31, 1904
At Crabbottom	Nov 1, 1904
At Green Hill	" 3, "
At Valley Center	" 4, "
At Hightown	" 8, "
At Clover Creek	" 15, "
At P. H. Hupman	" 16, "
At Steunarts Mill	" 17, "
At Doe Hill	" 18, "
At McDowell	" 22, "
At Bolser	" 25, "

At my office at Monterey Nov. 21,
 23, 25, 28, 29 and 30.

The tax books will be at my
 office in Monterey when not ad-
 vertised as above to be elsewhere.
 On the first day of Dec. 1904
 Five per centum penalty will be
 added to all unpaid taxes and levies
 and the same turned over to Con-
 stables for collections.

J. A. JONES, Treas.
 Oct 21, '04 Highland Co.

See I Q Simmons' big stock of
 boots, shoes, rubbers, etc. A bar-
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All wool underwear \$2 per suit
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Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know It.

How To Find Out.

Fill a bottle or common glass with your
 water and let it stand twenty-four hours;
 a sediment or settling indicates an
 unhealthy condition of the kid-
 neys; if it stains your linen it is
 evidence of kidney trouble; too
 frequent desire to pass it or pain in
 the back is also
 convincing proof that the kidneys and blad-
 der are out of order.

What To Do.

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 wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the
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We are grateful to our friends for past

patronage, and we will do our best to

please and to give satisfaction.

Very respectfully,

T. H. & H. F. SLAVEN,

Strait Creek News

Oct. 31, 1904.

Missionary rally was well attend-
 ed yesterday with a liberal con-
 tribution. We were very much dis-
 appointed at the absence of our
 pastor, Rev R. L. Entler.

Mrs W. T. Rexrode of Rocking-
 ham county, formerly of this coun-
 ty, is paying her old friends a visit
 at this place and other points.

Mr Tom Boroks of Alexandria,
 Upshur county, W. V., is visiting
 his uncle Wm. P. Rexrode.

We have been waiting for some
 of the older citizens to answer the
 question as to the Barren Rocks
 and have not seen any reply. Will
 just say it is from the barrenness of
 the land surrounding them that
 they derived the name of Barren
 Rocks, and also the signal corp
 was camped there in time of the
 Civil war.

Mr J B Hicklin and sister Miss
 Rubie of New Salem attended the
 rally on Sunday.

Mr Tom Brooks and Miss Kate
 Rexrode spent a very pleasant
 evening Friday taking in the grand
 scenes of Crabbottom valley.

Messrs Sallie Beverage, Boyd
 Wagner, and their wives expect to
 go to Pocahontas lumber woods to
 spend the winter.

Mr C W Raiston has a lady
 boarder just one week old.

Mr John Samples and Mrs Mc-
 Coy were united in holy bonds of
 matrimony on the Bullpasture side
 Wednesday, Rev Josiah Beverage
 officiating.

The bride and groom arrived
 home to partake of a sumptuous
 dinner which the ladies of the
 neighborhood had prepared for the
 occasion.

More weddings are predicted in
 the near future. Happy Hulan

Mothers Praise It

Mothers everywhere praise One
 Minute Cough Cure for the suffer-
 ings it has relieved and the lives of
 their little ones it has saved. A
 certain cure for coughs, croup and
 whooping cough. A. L. Spafford,
 Postmaster, of Chester, Mich.,
 says: "Our little girl was uncon-
 sciously from strangulation during a
 sudden and terrible attack of croup.

One Minute Cough Cure quickly
 relieved and cured her and I cannot
 praise it too highly." One Minute
 Cough Cure relieves coughs, makes
 breathing easy, cuts out phlegm,
 draws out inflammation, and re-
 moves every cause of a cough and
 strain on lungs. Sold by K. H.
 Trimble.

A Little Boy and Little Gun

Out at Durbin, the other day,
 three little fellows—one of them a
 former Highland kid—were along
 the railroad with a cat rifle. A
 hand-car, loaded with workmen,
 came along and one of the boys
 "levelled his piece," the other two
 dared him to shoot, declaring that
 he "hadn't the sand." He did have
 it, however, and the ball lodged in
 a workman's thigh. The boy was
 arrested, his trial set for next
 morning, but, the youthful prisoner
 had disappeared before the dawn
 of the morning, and so far as we
 have heard, has not been appre-
 hended.

A Runaway Bicycle

Terminated with an ugly cut on the
 leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill.
 It developed a stubborn ulcer unyielding
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 to "do over." Same way
 with time-pieces, from
 the daintiest watch to
 the largest clock. They
 all give plain proof of
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 our own way of doing
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 a business.

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VIRGINIA:

In vacation—In the Clerk's office
 of the Circuit Court of Highland
 county, October 13th, 1904.

Edith Chestnut

against

Howard Wade's Adm'r &c.

In Chancery

The object of this suit is to set-
 tle the estate of Howard Wade,
 dec'd. And it appearing by affida-
 vit filed that J. S. Wickline is not
 a resident of the state of Virginia;
 it is ordered that he appear here,
 within fifteen days after due pub-
 lication hereof and to do what is
 necessary to protect his interest.

E. H. McClintic, p. q.

Teste:

J. C. Matheny, Clerk.

Write to us